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GLADIOLUS



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WARE, MASS.

Thanks again for all past favors. They were deeply appreciated.

This season, we are featuring for your approval some imported varieties from Holland. Many of these varieties have bloomed from small bulbs and bulblets. Among the outstanding varieties were Ankara, Uncle Tom, Mansoer, and Topscore. The above Glads were in the darker shades. Sophia was outstanding. High Life and Silver Gull were excellent blues. Some light shades that were good were Leeuwenhorst, a lilac rose. Sweet Seventeen, fine novelty. Salmon's Glory even better than last year. Lavendel Dream, nice shade of lavender. Juniklokken (June Bells) a very early pure white. These are a few that come to my mind at this time of the Holland varieties.

Among the older varieties we like Victory Queen, Van Gold, Rosea, Ivy Robertson, Miss Wisconsin, Coutt's Orchid, and of course, Leading Lady (we can't leave that out). We believe Leading Lady to be the most outstanding Glad grown to date. No doubt there were many others that were outstanding in our garden this season, but these are a few that we want you to remember.

We are going to offer a few Do's and Don'ts for your Glad Garden.

First: open package as soon as received. Examine your bulbs, and, if you are not ready to plant, store them in your vegetable cellar, or a place where it is not too warm or too cold. After your soil has been prepared in the Spring of the year, furrow out your rows and scatter in the bottom of the trench, a good Commercial fertilizer such as 4-12-4, 4-8-10, or 5-10-10 or any other good Commercial fertilizer, that is available in your community. Mix well with the soil, setting large bulbs about five inches deep, and five inches apart, other size bulbs in proportion, with the smallest about two inches deep, and two inches apart. All Glad bulbs must be dipped before planting, in order to kill any thrips or disease that may be on them. We use Lysol. One and one-half tablespoonful per gallon of water. Soak bulbs three hours just before planting. Any water container will do. Do not plant near buildings, heavy rooted plants such as trees, etc. Cultivate frequently enough to keep soil loose, and free from weeds, not too deep, and after every heavy rain or watering. Spraying and dusting for thrip (adults are small black insects about 1/16 of an inch long) we have used the two following formulas:

DDT Spray—2 rounded teaspoonfuls DDT (50%) wettable; 1 teaspoonful Dreft; 2 gallons water, mix well and spray every week or ten days when foliage is about 8 or 10 inches high.

DDT Dust for thrip: 5% DDT dust and we use a roto dust gun. This is the quickest and easiest control. As effective as spraying but very much faster. We dust once in about every 10 days after foliage is 8 or 10 inches high. Do not

use DDT dust on blooms as it will spot.

When cutting blooms be sure and leave at least four leaves so as to mature the bulb. Bulbs should be dug as soon as the foliage starts to become yellow or after a heavy frost. Dig bulbs when soil is dry if possible. Using a digging fork, lift bulbs by the foliage. Cut tops off close to the bulbs shaking out loose dirt. Use shallow wooden trays or clean paper bags, marking each variety. Curing and cleaning bulbs; remove bulbs to warm dry place where there is a good circulation of air. After a period of three or four weeks, or when bulbs are properly dried, old bulb is easily broken away from the base of the new bulb. Be sure and leave husk on bulb, as this is a protection in storing. Ideal storage temperature is between 34 and 45 degrees F, or in a good vegetable cellar.

Terms of sale: Cash with order, or twenty-five percent, the rest C.O.D. No order for less than two dollars and no item for less than ten cents please. We have made our prices low enough so as to eliminate all confusing discounts on both wholesale and retail. We are very liberal in our overcounts. All retail orders will be sent prepaid. If out of size wanted, we will ship next size, giving equal or better value.

If you send us names of friends that grow Glads with your orders, we will add extra bulbs as a reward.

These are State inspected bulbs. We try to and observe the fact that making friends is very essential to our business.

Sincerely yours,

TAYLOR GARDENS

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TAYLOR GARDENS

SPRING 1948 - - - PREPAID BARGAIN LIST CHOICE GLADIOLUS BULBS

Five bulbs sold at the ten rate.

ABU HASSAN, very deep violet blue, an improved Pelegrina	Per 1	Large	Medium	Small 215	Bulblets Per 1050
ALGONQUIN, brilliant glowing red scarlet, large wide open blooms, nice cut flower. ANKARA, rich purple garnet-red glow, very strong and healthy grower, a Holland variety	2 10 1	.20 .80 1.00	320 .50 .75	.35	Pkg15 225
ANNAMAE, extra early pure white, a fine commercial, easy grower	2 10	.20 .65	320 .50	.35	Pkg15
BADGER BEAUTY, light lavendar, with cream throat, well placed florets, on wiry stem	2 10	.15	315 .40	.30	Pkg15
BARCAROLE, large ruffled clear, grenadine orange BEACON, very tall commercial scarlet, with	10 2	.15 .65 .15	315 .50 315	.35	Pkg15
BIT OF HEAVEN, nice tall spike of orange, flowers not large but a nice color.	10 2 10	.65 .15 .65	.45 315 .45	.35	Pkg15
BLACK OPAL, tall exhibition dark maroon red, nice cut flower	2 10	.15	315	.35	Pkg15
BLACK PANTHER, a very large black red, blooms up to 5 inches	1	.75	.50	.25	220
BLAZE, light scarlet, some call it, a scarlet Picardy BLUE BEAUTY, tall growing medium blue,	10 2	.65	315 .45 315	-35	Pkg15
shading to darker in the throat, best blue to date	10	.65	.50	.35	Pkg15
BUCKEYE BRONZE, old rose and orange, bronzy appearance BURGANDY, ruffled red, of medium size and height	1 10 1	.40	.15 1.20 .30	.80	Pkg25 520
BURMA, tall, very deep rose, larger ruffled and wide open CAPE COD, very tall lilac pink, with cream throat, blooms up to 5 inches	2 10 1	.50 2.00 .25	.35 1.15 230	.90	Pkg25
CANDY HEART, a soft pink, with light blotch, nicely ruffled and needlepoint blooms	2 10	.15	315 .45	.35	Pkg15
CHAMOUNY, light cerise, with silver edge florets CHAMAINE, early large deep rose, one of the	10 2	.15 .65	315 .45 315	35	Pkg15
first to bloom	10 2	.65	.45 320	.35	Pkg15
contrasting colors. This can be very good COLOSSUS, large, very rich pink	10	.80	315	.50	Pkg15
CORAL GLOW, very large, bright orange red,	10 2	.65	.45 315	.35	Pkg20
about the only one in this color	10 2 10	.65 .15	315 .45	.35	Pkg20
courts' orchid, large florets of light orchid with creamy throat with lighter edging	1	.25	.20	.15	1075
EARLY ROSE, rich rose shading to lighter in throat, good early cut flower	2 10 2	.15	315 .45 320	.35	Pkg15
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN, extra fine, clean lavendar with reddish feather in throat, nicely ruffled petals and needlepoint	10	.20	.65	.50	Pkg20

ELLEN MARIE, early salmon pink, one of the	Per 2	Large	Medium 315	Small	Bulblets Per
very first to bloom	10	.65	.45	(minerocco)	Pkg15
ELWOOD, large clear lavender with large white blotch, medium height	10	.65	315 .45	.35	Pkg15
eTHEL CAVE COLE, large flat wide open florets of light pink and more rosy self throat	2	.20	320	.50	Pkg20
GARDENIA, very early creamy self white, one	2	.15	315	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	1 1280
of the first to bloom in its color.	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
GLAMIS, beautiful clear ruffled rose with large	2	.20	320	to the second	Di-
white throat, good height. GOLD DUST, early deep yellow, quite tall, and	10	.80	315	.40	Pkg20
a very good cut flower	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
GOLDEN BEAUTY, exhibition yellow opens up as much as 10 florets at once	1	.50	.25	225	1025
GRACIE ALLEN, clear deep red, perfect place- ment on all spikes	1	1.00	.75	.50	120
GRAND MONARCH, tall spike of dark brown red with purple shade and deep purple blotch, very nice, a Holland variety	1	2.50	1.75	1.00	120
GRETA GARBO, large blush pink, with many	2	.15	315	*******	0.00000000000
open on tall spike	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
HAWKEYE RED, bright red, sport of Vagabond Prince. This is very outstanding	10	1.60	1.20	.80	10050
HIGH FINANCE, a beautiful soft smoky, tall	2	.20	320	- COO	200-190
and very strong grower.	10	.80	.65	.40	Pkg20
HIGH LIFE, clear light blue, tall with many	1	.50	-30	.15	10 60
open blooms of good size, a Holland variety INTERMEZZO, beautiful tall deep cream with	10	.20	2.40 320	1.20	1060
lavender throat marking, very good	10	.80	.45	.30	Pkg20
INTRUDER, extra large scarlet red with 5 to 6 inch blooms	1	1.50	1.00	.50	225
IVY ROBERTSON, very tall pink with yellow and cream throat, excellent florist variety	10	1.00	.60	.45	10050
JUNIKLOKKEN (June Bells) most pure white, very early, will become a leading variety, a Holland variety	1	.75	.50	,25	525
KING LEAR, early large ruffled purple red, with	2	.15	315	000000000000	041100000000
white edge	10	.65	.45	.35	Pkg15
KING RANSOM, early slightly ruffled salmon scarlet, cream blotch	2	.15	315	**********	Pkg15
KING WILLIAM, nice large salmon pink with	2	.15	315	00000000000	1 115
white throat, excellent cut flower	10	.65	.50	.35	Pkg15
LADY JANE, tall clear cream with yellow lips which gives it the appearance of light yellow, open as many as eight, slightly ruffled blooms	10	.20	320 .50	.30	Pkg20
LANTANA, early orange and yellow, nice large florets on medium height stem, fine florist	2 10	.20	320	.40	Pkg20-
variety LAVENDEL DREAM, finest Cattleya violet, tall spike, opens up to five well shaped blooms.	1	1.50	1.00	.50	2-,25.
From Holland. LAVENDER RUFFLES, early lavender pink with white throat	2 10	.15	315	.30	Pkg15
				-50	
LAYLA, pure white with orange throat markings,	10	.20	220	pary 100 10000	10-25
much like Silentium, from Holland	10	1.50	.80 .75	.50	1025 225
variety LEADING LADY, sensational white sport of	2	.40	.25	325	1020
Picardy, one of the most outstanding cut flowers	10	1.60	.90	.65	100-1.00
MAGNÓLIA, nice light soft creamy rose, large	2	.20	320	***************************************	Die
round blooms, beautiful	10	.80	.60	.40	Pkg20

	MANSOER, blood red with blackish velvet glow. This variety makes a fine spike. A Holland variety.	Per 1 10	Large .50 4.00	Medium .35 2.50	Small .25 1.75	Bulblets Per 10-1.00
	MARGARET BARRETT, exhibition white with	2	.20	320	**********	**********
	scarlet tint and blotch	10	.80	.55	.40	Pkg20
	MARGARET BEATON, nice large florets of good clear white with orange blotch in throat	10	.65	3~.15 .45	20	Pkg15
	MARGUERITE, huge florets and flower head of	2	.20	320	-30	1 Ag 1 J
	watermelon pink, cream throat, will become very popular	10	.80	.60		Фисоворпоом
	MAX REGER, light lavender blue, with throat	2	.15	315	00000000000	06400000000
	marking MERMAID, true medium with cream blotch, large bloom, lightly waxed on long flower head	10	.65	.15	220	Pkg20
	MISS WISCONSIN, a rose shade, a much needed	1	.35	.25	235	1050
	color that florists want, outstanding	10	2.70	2.00	1.30	100-3.50
	MRS. G. G. ERREY, creamy white, with a deeper cream center, opens up to 10 blooms at a time	1	.25	.20	225	1025
	MRS. LULU HUNT, very early salmon, with a	2	.15	215	donadheegnaa	managanggunga
	reddish throat	10	.65	3 20	. winnessionen	Pkg15
	MOHAWK, a lovely velvety red with no marking, opens 6 to 8 five inch blooms at one time, very good	10	.20	320 .55	.40	Pkg20
	NORMANDIE, lobster red with a purple blotch,	1	.25	.20	225	000000000000000000000000000000000000000
	opens 6 to 8 at one time, heavy grower, a	10	2.00	1.60	1.00	25-1.00
	Holland variety OGARITA, a very tall and large rose salmon with	2	.20	320	penalete=4-5	and the section
	a cream blotch, blooms up to 6 inches in diameter	10	.80	.55	.40	Pkg20
	PICARDY, large spike of salmon pink, this is	2	.15	315		701
	still a hard variety to beat	10	.65	320	.30	Pkg15
	PINK RADIANCE, fine rose pink, opens as many as 6 or 8, on a fine spike	10	.80	.55	.40	Pkg15
	PRINCESS IRENE, salmon pink carmine with	1	.40	.30	.20	10-1.00
	orange shading, opens 6 or 8 large blooms on	. 10	3.00	2.40	1.60	and gain a series of a
	4 ft. spike, a Holland variety PURPLE SUPREME, outstanding medium purple	1	.15	215	315	Pkg1.00
	with silver edge on petal, ten open on shoulder	10	1.20	.65	.40	schoondermed
	high plants				EYALTA)	
	REWI FALLOU, giant massive dark blood red,	2	.15	315	***************************************	w(++4) p0+10
	extra large blooms on medium height spike	10	.65	.50	.35	Pkg15
	RIMA, this is an outstanding soft light lavender,	1	.25	.20	.15	dydd gwn dyd a n diffgann
5	RIO RITA, beautiful large orange with many open	1	.25	,20	.15	1050
	ROSE VAN LIMA, early beautiful pink with white mid-ribs	2 10	.65	315 .45	.30	Pkg15
	BOORI C L. Calana and Manne up	1	.40	.30	,20	
	ROSEA, very fine variety of clear rose, blooms up to 6 inches across on tall spike	10	3.00	2.40	1.60	1040
	ROSY MORN, beautiful round light coral rose,	2	.15	315	*********	Annidation
	excellent cut flower	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
	RUBY RED, best described as ruby red, howers	1	1.00	.75	.50	1075
	of good size and spikes of good height RUFFLED BEAUTY, heavily ruffled light yellow,	2	.20	220	04000000000	403440200000
	large and very pretty	10	.80	.60	emmopped and a	Pkg20
	SALMON'S GLORY, creamy white with a large yellow and red blotch, can be grown with blooms 5 to 6 inches in diameter, a prize win-	1	.25	.20	2.20	1050
	ner, a Holland variety	2	.20	325		11-7-1-1-1
	SENSATION, very large and ruffled salmon rose, sure is pretty but should be planted early	10	.80	.60	\$450460000000	dennes et den

SHIRLEY TEMPLE, tall exhibition, cream	Per 2	Large	Medium 315	Small	Bulblets
white	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
SILENTIUM, dainty cream white, with small	2	.15	315	environment .	ortestacion.
carmine blotch, a most excellent cut flower	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
SILVER GULL, beautiful silver blue with purple markings on two cream white blotches, very pretty, a Holland variety	1	1.00	.75	.50	5-1.00
SNOW PRINCESS, fine white, many call this a	2	.15	315	potroupandro	e independent
much improved Maid of Orleans	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
SOLE MIO, very early Critrion yellow with small	2	.20	325	*********	**************
red throat markings, a Holland variety	10	.80	.60	.40	Pkg20
SOPHIA, medium rose with a touch of carmine in the throat, large and slightly ruffled blooms, a fine Holland variety	1,	1.00	.75	.50	10-1.00
SWEET SEVENTEEN, soft peach rose, a unique	1	.25	.20	225	described to
shade, one of the most lovely novelty of re- cent years, a Holland variety	10	2.00	1.60	1.20	25–1.00
TOPSCORE, early vermilion red with a small carmine red throat marking, large bloom on long stem, a Holland variety	1	2.50	1.75	1.00	250
UNCLE TOM, beautiful deep brown red maroon, plain shaped floret up to 5 inches wide, strong flower head, a Holland variety	1	3.00	2.50	2,00	3-1.00
VALERIA, a very much in demand shade of	2	15	315	alidändeenääd	· Riconfidencies
light red, large strong and healthy grower	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
VAN GOLD, very large deep yellow, the only	1	.25	230	2540,000,000,000	access chareces
one in this shade, comes early	10	1.75	1.10	.60	100-2.00
VAN WHITE, slightly ruffled white, this is very	1	.20	230	powertomada	anni nganapin
good and a great cut flower	10	1.50	1.20	.80	2050
VEE CREAM, rich slightly ruffled cream with	2	.15	315	000000000000	generation
scarlet blotch, very attractive	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
VICTORY QUEEN, rich salmon orange with	1	.75	.50	.25	10-1.00
nice cream throat very ruffled 5 inch bloom on long flowerhead, one of the best	10	6.00	4.00	2.00	100-8.00
VULCAN, extra nice tall spike of medium purple,	2	.25	325	eleanin to to do	,moreteleine
blooms up to 6 inches	10	1.00	.65	.50	Pkg20
WANDA, a deep rich cream with lavender mark-	2	.15	315		701
ings, a sport of Picardy	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
WHITE GOLD, large light cream shading to	2	.20	320	***********	***************************************
cream in the throat, can be grown to amazing size	10	.80	.60	.40	Pkg20
WINGS OF SONG, a very nice pink with a	2	.15	315	фексоватовар	prosed response
white throat	10	.65	.45	.30	Pkg15
WINSTON, waxy florets of beautiful cream, with light yellow throat marking	1	.15	220	330	Pkg20

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- No. 1 UNLABELLED COLLECTION-100 large bulbs in about 50 varieties, \$4.50 postpaid.
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25 or more bulbs at the 100 rate. All stock offered subject to prior sales.

		No.	1 No.	2 No	3 No.	· Committee of the control of the co	5 No.		blets
	Per	100—1½ up	11/4-11/	2 1-11/4	3/4-1	1/2-3/4	3/8-1/2	1/2 Pt	. Qt.
ALGONQUIN			\$4.25	\$3.50	\$2.75	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.50	\$4.50
ANNAMĀE		5.25	4.75	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	6.00
BADGER BEAUTY	nna nd kama kalis	3.75	3.25	2.75	2.25	1.75	1.50	1.00	3.00
BEACON	**********	4.50	3.75	3.25	2.75	2.25	(00000000)	1.00	2.00
BIT OF HEAVEN	***************************************	4.50	3.75	3.25	2.75	2,25	attionsand	1.00	2.00
BLACK OPAL	********	4.50	3.75	3.25	2.75	2.25	1.75	1.00	2.50
BLAZE			3.75	3.25	2.75	2.25	1.75	1.00	2.00
BLUE BEAUTY	ana <u>a</u> -coónoues	5.50	4.75	4.00	3.25	2.50	1.75	1.00	2.50
CANDY HEART			4.75	4.00	1 3.25	2.50	1.75	1.00	3.00
CHAMOUNY			*******	4.00	3.25	2.50	1.75	1.00	3.00
CHAMAINE			3.75	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.00
CHIEF MULTNOMAH	******	6.00	5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.35	2.00	6.00
COLOSSUS			4.00	3.25	2.75	410541400	001104040	1.00	2.00
CORONA	************	5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.25	1.50	1.00	2.50
EARLY ROSE		******************	4.50	3.75	2.75	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.50
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN	VV.	5.50	4.75	4.00	325	2.75	2.00	2.50	7.00
ELWOOD			4.00	3.25	2.50	1.75	********	1.00	2.00
ETHEL CAVE COLE			5.00	4.25	3.50	2.75	2.00	1.00	3.00
GARDENIA			3.75	3.00	2.25	1.75	1.50	1.00	2.00
GOLD DUST		4.25	3.75	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.00
		5.00	4.25	3.75	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2,50
		12.00	10.00	8.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	7.00	25.00
		6.00	5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.75	1.50	3.50
INTERMEZZO	*******	6.00	5.25	4.50	3.75	3.00	2.75	1.75	5.00
IVY ROBERTSON			8.00	5.50	5.00	4.00	3.00	3.00	7.00
KING LEAR			4.50	3.75	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2.50
KING WILLIAM			4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2.00
LADY JANE	# 00 FEW 10 17 17 17	5.00	4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2.50
LANTANA			4.25	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	4.00
LAVENDER RUFFLED			*********	3.25	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.00
LEADING LADY			11.00	8.00	6.50	5.00	3.50	6.00	20.00
MARGARET BEATON	*******	4.75	4.00	3.50	2.75	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.50
MARGUERITE			5.75	5.00	4.25	************	0.00	46.00	50.00
MISS WISCONSIN			19.00	17.00	14.00	11.00	9.00	15.00	50.00
MOHAWK OGARITA			4.75 9.00	4.00 7.50	3.25 6.00	5.00	4.00	1.50 5.00	3.50 15.00
PICARDY		4.50	3.75	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.00
PURPLE SUPREME			4.75	4.00	3.25	2.75	2.00	1.50	3.00
REWI FALLOU			4.25	3.75	3.00	2.25	1.75	1.00	2.50
ROSE VAN LIMA			4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2.00
ROSY MORN			4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2.00
SHIRLEY TEMPLE		4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	2.00
		4.50	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.00	2.00
SNOW PRINCESS			3.50	3.00	2.50 4.25	2.00 3.75	1.50 3.00	2.00	2.50 5.50
SOLE MIO VALERIA			5.75 4.50	5.00 4.00	3.50	2.75	2.00	1.50	4.00
				10.00	9.00	6.00	4.00	10.00	35.00
VAN GOLD			12.00	10.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	3.00
VEE CREAM			4.00 7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	3.00	8.00
WANDA			3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	3,00	1.00	2.00
WHITE GOLD			4.75	4.00	3.25	3.00	2.25	1.50	3.50
WHITE GOLD	*********	2.20	26/3	2.00	21007	2100		2170	